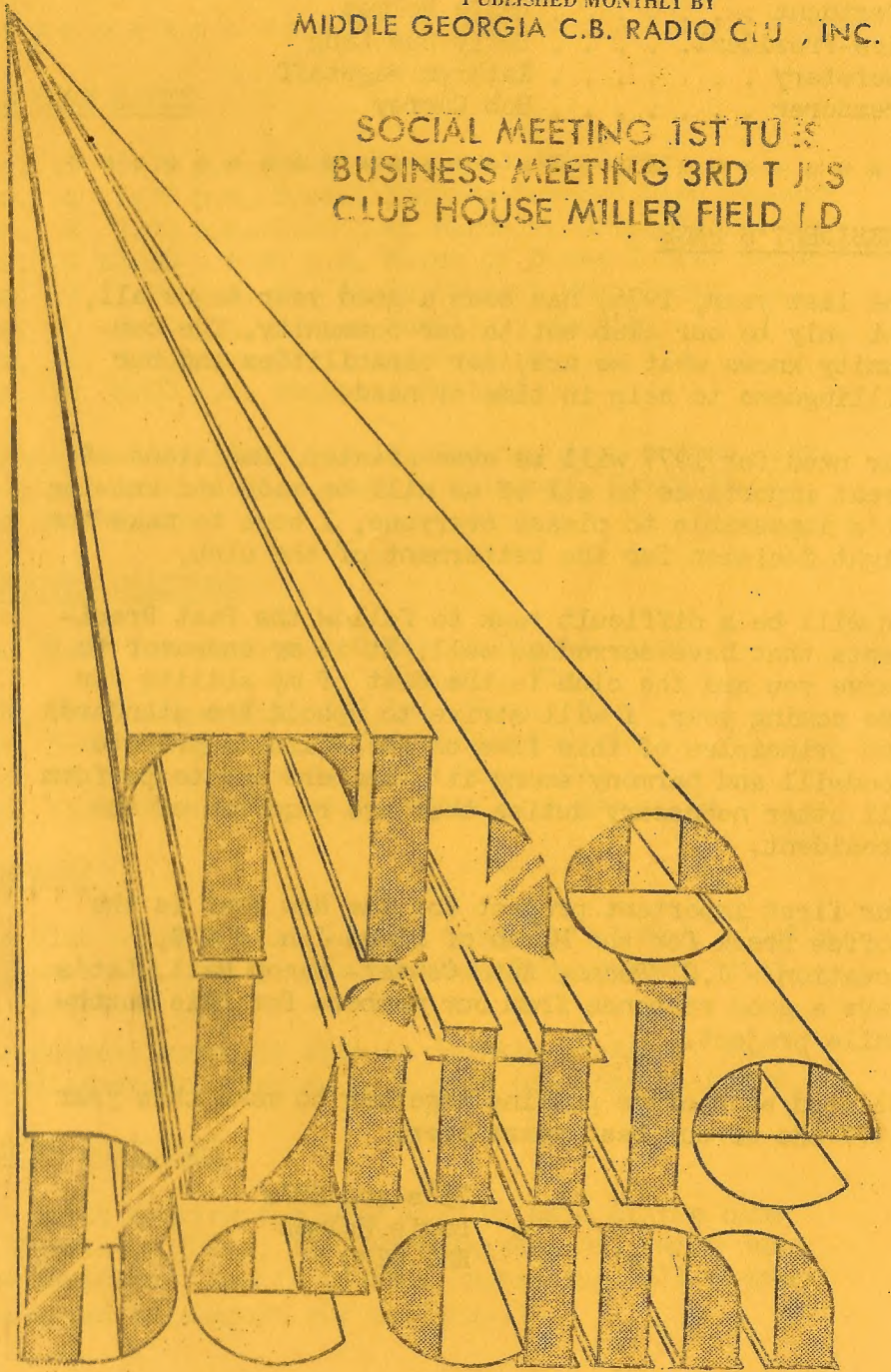


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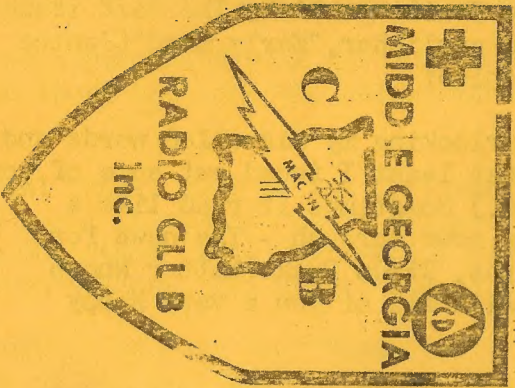
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PRESIDENT'S PAGE

The last year, 1976, has been a good year to us all, not only to our club but to our community. The community knows what we are, our capabilities and our willingness to help in time of need.

Our need for 1977 will be even greater. Decisions of great importance to all of us will be made and knowing it's impossible to please everyone, I hope to make the right decision for the betterment of the club.

It will be a difficult task to follow the Past Presidents that have served so well. It is my endeavor to serve you and the club to the best of my ability for the coming year. I will strive to uphold the standards and principles of this fine organization, to promote goodwill and harmony among it's members and to perform all other necessary duties that are required of the President.

Our first important project for the New Year is the Coffee Break for the March of Dimes Jan. 8 & 9, location - J.C. Penney Auto Center- Macon Mall. Let's have a good response from our members for this worthwhile project.

We need each of us pulling together to make this year 1977 one of our best years ever.

73's and 88's
Louie Holmes
KGT 6230

JANUARY 1977 MIDDLE GA. C. B. RADIO CLUB

RED LINE DATES

Dec. 31 8:00 p.m. Adult New Years Eve Party
Jan. 4 7:30 p.m. Social Meeting-Covered Dish Supper*
Jan. 8 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. March of Dimes Coffee Br.
Jan. 9 12:00 - 6:00 p.m. March of Dimes Coffee Break
Jan. 9 1:00 p.m. Ga. State Council Mtg., Perry, Ga.
Jan. 10 8:00 p.m. Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
Jan. 13 8:00 p.m. Civil Aid Meeting
Jan. 18 8:00 p.m. Business Meeting

* Hostessed for Jan: Jackie Bledsoe, Jean Holmes, Joy Hudgins, Joan Justice, Louise Peterman, Kathy Stocks and Ann Wheelus.

JAMBOREE CALENDAR

Jan 22-23 International Order of Ding-A-Lings,
Dunedin, Fla.
Feb. 26-27 Cigar City CBC, Inc., Tampa, Fla.
Mar. 5-6 Golden Isles CBC, Brunswick, Ga.
Jun. 18-19 Southeast Ga. CBC, Jesup, Ga.
Jun. 25-26 Middle Ga. C.B. Radio Club, Macon, Ga.

SYMPATHY

The club extends its' deepest sympathy to Mrs. Annette Zaloumes and family. Her, mother, Mrs. Durden, died on Christmas Day.

Our deepest sympathy also to Kenneth Lassiter. His grandfather, Mr. Parker, also died over the holidays.

LADIES AUXILIARY

The first meeting for 1977 will be held at the home of Charlotte Ellis, 1495 Westminster Dr., with our new Chairlady, Marilyn Edwards, presiding. All members are urged to support our meetings.

The Auxiliary had a very successful 1976 and we're looking forward to a great 1977.

CIVIL AID UNIT

I wish to thank all of you for electing me Civil Aid Director for 1977. I feel that you have truly honored me and I will do my best to give the leadership you want.

This is the best trained and organized volunteer unit in the country and I am proud to accept leadership of it. I hope each and every one of you will work with me in making others more aware of our potential. During the coming year I hope all the men in our club will join our civil aid unit. The training and experience which you receive will prove invaluable. Many of our activities will involve you with community leaders & enlighten you as to what our club is doing for it's community. The more we become involved in the various aspects of our club, the more we will appreciate what our club is doing. I sincerely hope each and everyone of you will join our President, Louie Holmes, and me in making 1977 the greatest year ever.

John McDuffie, Jr.
Civil Aid Director

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

We welcome Al & Debbie Evans to our CB family.

It was announced that James Lang was 4th Quarter winner of the Membership Award drive. Congratulations, James.

Charles Cook, who was winner of the Annual Membership Award drive, received a \$25.00 check at the Awards Banquet. Congratulations, Charlie.

The following applicants will be voted on for regular membership at the Jan 4th Social Meeting:

Tim Starr (Handle: "Little Star")
3863 Tela Place
Macon, Ga. 31206
KFM 9402 781-7996

William Arthur Fickling III (Handle: "White Bishop")
4918 Wesleyan Woods Drive
Macon, Ga. 31204
KHS 8925 477-3043

ATTENDANCE AWARD

A LOSER -- Bill Justice lost \$5.00 last month for missing Social Meeting. Sorry about that, Bill.

However, John Ellis was the winner of \$10.00 at the Awards Banquet for the Attendance Award. Congratulations, John.

Remember, it (the Attendance Award) starts off again at the Jan. 4th Social Meeting with a jackpot of \$5.00. Better come 'cause it just might be your name that is drawn.

SPECIAL AWARDS --- PRESENTED AT AWARDS BANQUET

The C.B.er of the Year Award was presented to Betty sue lang. Congratulations.

The Presidents' Awards were presented to Jerry Joiner, John Ellis and Betty sue and James Lang. Congratulations, C. B.ers.!

SPECIAL ELECTION

A special election will be held at the Jan 4th Social Meeting to elect a Director to serve on the Board, to fill the vacancy of Bill Justice, who resigned at the Dec. Board Meeting. This position is for the year 1977 only. Names of eligible members will be announced by our Secretary, Kathryn Wagstaff, at the Jan. 4th meeting. Please plan to attend.

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MARCH OF DIMES COFFEE BREAK

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GEORGIA STATE COUNCIL

Election of officers for 1977 by the Georgia State Council resulted in our club member, Charles Cook, being elected. Vice President. Congratulations, Charlie! Other officers elected were: President, Charlie Norton, Secretary, Mrs. Iris Wren, Treas. J. C. Clark.

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Get the patterns and material for the vest and Currey is in charge of ordering the pants and shirts. (477-0340)

On gang, let's show everyone we're proud to be members of the Middle Ga. C.B. Radio Club. Get your uniforms.

Cecil Lindsey
" Lady P "
781-4579

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NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

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SPRAYTIME

First, let me wish each of you a Happy New Year.

1976 was a very good year for our club and I would like to thank each one who helped make it a successful year.

A special Tkanks goes to the Christmas Party Committee Jean & Louie Holmes and their helpers, for a truly superb Christmas Party. Everything was great and if you weren't there, you missed a good time.

I personally want to say "Thank You" to ALL for my "C.B.er of the Year Award." I was so surprised I couldn't make a speech at the party; But I truly appreciate it. "Sprayman" said that's the first time he ever saw me "speechless".

Let me urge each member to support our upcoming March of Dimes Coffee Break. This we can do to help those less fortunate than we are.

Also, start making your plans to attend some of the out-of-town Jamborees this year. They are always fun. the first "close-by" jamboree is in Brunswick in March. Let's make plans for a big turn-out to this event.

See you next Tuesday night at Social Meeting.

73's and 88's

Betty Sue Lang
"Spraylady"
KDV 7791

Bits from "Buttercup"

This is the last Beam I will publish. The next issue will be from your new publisher, "Early Bird" (Janice Bible) Good Luck, Janice!

I appreciate your overlooking my misspelled words and upside down pages - (at least I found out some of you were reading the Beam.) Sometimes it read like a puzzle but we got the news through - The news for now is that the Referee, Disco Duck (better known as Half-Pint) and I wish all of you a very Happy New Year!

Note from Referee: With the "Beam" material gone maybe now I will be able to have my desk back and be able to get to my radio.

Ann Wheelus
"Buttercup"
KFV 3094